

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

J. ERIK HITZELBERGER et al.

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Examiner: Theresa T. Snider

Group Art Unit: 1744

For: FLOOR CARE APPARATUS WITH MULTIPLE AGITATOR SPEEDS AND
CONSTANT SUCTION POWER

AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 15, 2006, please amend the application as follows:

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION begin on page 2 of this paper.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS begin on page 9 of this paper and include one attached Replacement Sheet and one Annotated Sheet showing changes.

REMARKS begin thereafter on page 10.

An **APPENDIX** including an amended drawing figure is attached following page 15 of this paper.